



Confirmation Candidate Expectations 2018-2019

As a candidate for Confirmation, I commit to the following expectations:

1. **I am committed** to taking this year of Confirmation preparation seriously as the next step in my faith journey.
2. **I am committed** to participate in all of the following:
 - Attendance of at least one Saturday Half-Day Retreat, or other approved retreat
 - All Wednesday Confirmation sessions (sending advanced notice for excused absences.)
 - I will arrive for Mass early to learn more about the Sunday Readings with my Catechists
 - Weekly attendance of **Sunday Mass** and Holy Days of Obligation
 - Three service opportunities** offered within the parish community, approved by Chris, and amount to at least 2 hours for each service.
 - Active participation of the STAY Ministry programs for Middle School or High School
 - To complete a 15 minute interview to discuss and discern my readiness to be Confirmed, in Spring before Confirmation Day.
 - To attend the Ritual of Welcome Mass - TBD
 - To attend the Ritual of Commitment Mass with Sponsor - TBD
 - To attend Confirmation Rehearsal (If Necessary)
 - To attend Confirmation DAY on Saturday, March 11, 2019 early and with my Sponsor
3. **I am committed** to participate 100% with an open heart.
4. **I am committed** to respecting my fellow peers and catechists.
5. **I am committed** to cultivate a relationship with my sponsor to learn from their spiritual experience.
6. **Lastly, I am committed to trust in what God has in store for me during this Confirmation process.**

Name of Candidate (Print)

Signature of Candidate

Date

**“For I know the plans I have for you, says the Lord, plans for welfare
and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope.”**

—Jeremiah 29:11

PLEASE KEEP A COPY OF THIS COMMITMENT FOR YOUR REFERENCE